

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA INTERAGENCY COUNCIL ON HOMELESSNESS

EMERGENCY RESPONSE & SHELTER OPERATIONS (ERSO) COMMITTEE

Meeting DetailsDate: 13 September 2022Time: 1:30 – 3 PMLocation: Webex

Meeting Notes

I. WELCOME AND CALL TO ORDER

ICH Director, Theresa Silla, called the meeting to order and notified the group that the recording was started. Director Silla noted that this meeting of the ERSO Committee was in addition to the regular monthly meeting and shared appreciation for meeting attendance given the tight timeline for approval of the FY23 Winter Plan.

II. WINTER PLAN REVIEW

Director Silla facilitated a review of the FY23 Draft Winter Plan which was distributed to ERSO Committee members one week in advance of the meeting on 9/6.

Detailed notes on feedback and review of the draft were taken directly in the slides. Please see the PPT for more information (slides 8+).

III. COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS/UPDATES

Nechama Masliansky from SOME shared the following announcement in the Webex chat:

• If any organizations are interested in providing services at this year's United Way's Project Community Connect, for unhoused/extremely low-income persons, contact pcc@uwnca.org

IV. ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REMINDERS

Director Silla thanked the group for the additional 30 minutes spent reviewing the draft and reminded the group that the next ERSO Committee meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, September 28th from 1-2:30pm.

V. SUMMARY AND ADJOURNMENT

Participant List (50 attendees)		
Theresa Silla (ICH)	David Freeman (Community	Rico Harris (CCNV)
Eileen Rosa (ICH)	Connections)	Dr Mayaalla MuQaddim Abdullah Al
Nadia Malik (Miriam's Kitchen)	Joshua Drumming (WLCH)	Saud (Concerned Citizen)

Juan Cespedes (Catholic Charities)

Quin Grier (DHS)

Sari Frankel (DBH)

Aaron White (DBH)

Brendan Haley (Everyone Home DC)

Lindsay Curtin (DHS)

Ted Joseph (DHS)

Reginald Black (PFFC, CEWG)

Candyce Coates (TCP)

Sakina Thompson (DMHHS)

Erin Byrne (DCCADV)

Nechama Masliansky (SOME)

Annemarie Cuccia (Street Sense)

Blair Copeland (Catholic Charities)

Kim Glover (DHS)

Wes Heppler (WLCH)

Robert Warren (PFFC, CEWG)

Adam Gerstenfeld (DHS)

Qaadir El-Amin (PFFC, CEWG)

Mimi Scotchmer (Community

Connections)

Abby Sypek (Everyone Home DC)

Belinda Fadlelmola (HUD)

Liza Poris (Friendship Place)

Carla Branham (DHS)

Abby Sypek (Everyone Home DC)

Sakina Thompson (DMHHS)

Kalifia Thomas (COH)

William Brown

Bill Kuennen (DHS)

Andre Pelegrini (PHDC)

Ana Elias (Community Connections)

Kate Coventry (DCFPI)

Catherine Crosland (Unity)

Nicole Lee-Mwandha (OSSE)

Amanda Chesney (Catholic Charities)

Ishan Heru (Community Connections)

Michael Ferrell (DCCFH)

Ray Walker (Community

Connections)

Antwan Gillis (Friendship Place)

La Kia Smith (DCCFH)

Andrew Wassenich (Miriam's

Kitchen)

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